

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

THOMAS D. CROCK,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	Civil Action No. 08-680
v.)	
)	
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner)	
of Social Security,)	
Defendant.)	

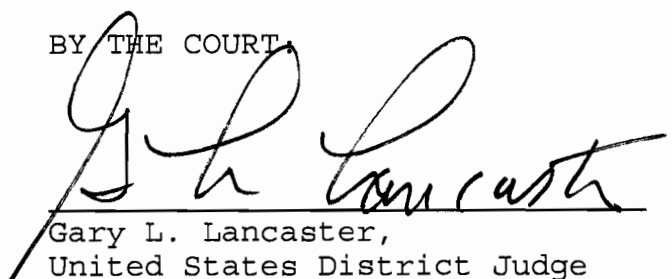
ORDER

AND NOW, this **22** day of May, 2008, IT IS HEREBY
ORDERED that plaintiff's request for assistance of counsel is
DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that plaintiff's request for a
reduced number of copies is DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, to the extent plaintiff
wishes to amend his newly filed complaint, such request is
GRANTED and any amendment shall be filed prior to service on the
defendant.

BY THE COURT



Gary L. Lancaster,
United States District Judge

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